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GOSSIP OF LONDON. BRITAIN PREFERS AUTONOMY OF

CRETE TO BLOCKADE OF ISLAND. WOLSELEY ON INDIAN TROOPS

Them Placed Before Europeans Socialism, American Populism, and Free Silver.

(Special Cable Letter.)

LONDON, August L-A Cabinet council, sting over two hours, was held yes terday, at which it to understood that the Russo-French proposal to establish a ckade of the Island of Crete was the ject under consideration. Subsequent the adjournment of the council on that Lord Salisbury was opposed the adoption of the proposal for a ekade, and would reply to the suggest one that such a course be taken by nter-proposals for the granting of auhe Marquis of Londonderry, the Earl

unrayen, and the Earl of the Wincheltook part in yesterday's debate on the Irish land-bill in the House of Lords, and although consenting that, the measare should go to its second reading, the ee peers threatened what they would when the bill should have reached the mittee stage. Despite their threats, owever, the conviction prevails among imprerialists that the people will not are to tamper seriously with the meas-

The Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, first Lord of the Treasury, and Conservative leader is the House of Commons, said to a member in the lobby of the House last night that he expected to go on a holiday to Whittingham on the 17th Instant. INDIAN TROOPS.

Field-Marshal Lord Wolseley, com-nander-in-chief of the British forces, has reated a sensation by a statement made the Indian military commission on wednesday that he would not like to out Indian troops in front of European oddiers. Military officers now in England. who have served in India, declare that there is no ground for General Lord Wolseley's remarks.

Wolseley's remarks.

The Indian troops, they declare, are an admirable fighting force, equal in every way to the soldiers of Russia or any other country. Field-Marshal Lord Wolseley's action has caused indignant protests on all sides, and has placed him to evil odor.

evil odor. The disgraceful proceedings that markthe disgraceful proceedings that mark-the first two days' sessions of the So-dist congress have further increased a animosity of the real workingmen ainst those Socialists whose principal, not their sole, labor is done with their oths. Such an utterly disorderly hering has seldom been seen in Lon-and the effect profuced will surely see Socialists and Socialism to sink fur-into public discredit. It is not e Socialists and Socialism to sink fur-into public discredit. It is not eved that the work of the congress have any result whatever, beneficial therwise, beyond affording the for-delegates a holiday in England. The ority are rank blatherskites, whose rally second-hand ideas for the batf the world in general, and the in in particular, are utterly of fulfilment.

SILVER AND POPULISM.

English Socialist leaders and their
is, in commenting on the silver
iton and the growth of Populism in
ica, deal with them as offering
of promise than of immediate fruiMr. Hyndman writes that the
up of the silverties in the Deput onvention need not be regarded infaction by the Socialists. "Currellers," he adds. "are only red to draw the working-people of track."

largest in circulation of the

american voter imagines that "If the American voter imagines that permoratic bimetalism or Republican import duties will make any difference to him, he imagines a vain thing. The blood-suckers will get there all the same, unless the people rise up to demand their own by proclaiming an out-and-out Socialist platform."

The Carron equalstes that the issues

The Ciarion concludes that the issues must ere long be favorable to socialism by and by, says another Socialist paper, the workers of the United States will see that the real issues are more than free silver and free land.

ANOTHER DOCK STRIKE.

The leaders of the great London dock strike of 1839 are organizing another of equal magnitude. Messrs. Tom Mann, equal magnitude. Messrs. Tom Mann, Ben. Tillet, and J. H. Wilson are working to get the various Thames unions to federate and strike simultaneously. It federate and strike simultaneously. It has long been publicly known that the six-pence rise, supposed to have been concaded by the dock companies, was a delision. The dockers are really worse off than ever. Strike combination agents are actively canvassing the men at Dutch, Beigian, and German ports to help the Thames strikers. The dock companies have refused all the men's demands.

QUEEN NOT TO RETIRE. The rumor which for some time past that the Queen was about to abdicate, is surrely without foundation.

## THE SOCIALISTS ADJOURN.

Result of Their Deliberations, as Was Expected, Nil.

LONDON, August 1.-This was the last fay of the International Socialist Trades Congress, and aside from an academic discussion of social questions, its results, as was expected, have been nil. It was decided to-day that the next Congress would be held in Germany in 1899. If the politi-cal difficulties in that country prevented the holding of the congress there, then it will be held in Paris in 1980. It was also decided that Anarchists would not be admitted as delegates to the next congress. Prior to their adjournment the delegates hurriedly adopted a number of resolutions, including one in favor of granting amiesty to political prisoners.

When the question of the next congress

was under discussion, the American delegates proposed that New York be selected as the next place of meeting. They said they would arrange to charter a steamer to convey delegates from Europe to the United States, but the proposal was re-jected on account of the expense. The Anarchiets who had been refused

admission to the congress as delegates had ensounced themselves in the gallery of the half, and there signified their disperval of the proposal by shoutine, "Long live anarchy!" After cheering for Bocialism and singing "Auld Lang Syne" and the "Marseillaise," the congress au-journed.

SPANISH GOLD FOR INFORMERS.

Alleged Attempt to Bribe Captain of the Laurada.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., August 1.—The spanish Government is determined to present the determined the det Alleged Attempt to Bribe Captain of

vent, if possible, filibustering expeditions from leaving this country for Cuba. To further guard against filbusterers, Spain is offering a reward of \$10,000 for information leading to the capture within Spanish waters of a filibustering expedi-

Captain Murphy, commander of the Laureda, has received the following letter from the Spanish consul, Jose Congosto: "Consulada de Espana, Philadelphia,

Pa. "Yen thousand dollars will be paid by

the undersigned at his office in Philadelphia, Pa.; for information leading to the capture within Spanish waters of any military or naval expedition, or of any vessel engaged in carrying men and ammunition to the isle of Cuba, certain inhabitants of which are row in insurrection against the government.

"This offer carries with it a promise of immunity from arrest or apprehension to

"This offer carries with it a promise of immunity from arrest or apprehension to any person or persons who shall give such information as is mentioned above, whether or not such person or persons are participants in such expeditions.

"JOSE CONGOSTO,

"Consul for Spain.

This letter was delivered to Captain Murphy by an attache of the Spanish consulate, who said that he had been sent by Dr. Congosto.

consulate, who said that he had been sent by Dr. Congosto.

Captain Murphy, in speaking of the letter said: "Only in the most kindly spirit do I say that it is an attempt to bribe me. I wish to assure him that I am not in the business of surrendering secrets which I don't possess, and I say frankly that if it were ten times \$10,000 it could not induce me to turn informer. I do not feel insulted by the action of the Spanish Consul, but I do believe that a man serving in his honorable capacity ought to have a higher appreciation of the patriotism of an American citizen than to attempt to purchase him for cash. Evidently he is only following out the instructions of his government, and I am trying to carry out the orders of am trying to carry out the orders of Captain Murphy handed the communi-

cation to Captain W. W. Ker, counsel for the J. D. Hart Company, who will forward it with a protest to Secretary of State Oiney. Captain Ker, in speaking of the offer, said: "It is an infamous act, and an insult to American citizenschip. It is a usurpation of authority on the Consul's part to declare that those who violate the neutrality laws of the who violate the neutrality laws of the United States will receive immunity if they surrender certain information, even though they be not participants in the expedition. That is a dangerous declaration for a man to make just now. Ten thousand dollars is a big inducement for some person to steal secretly into a yearsome person to steal secretly into a vessel, for instance, lying in a port, and bound for Cuba, and piace munitions of war, such as dynamite, on board. This individual could inform the Spanish Government, and the vessel would be seized the moment she entered within the Cuban

"I shall call the attention of Secretary

## MORE TROUBLE IN CLEVELAND. Militia Out-Non-Union Men Attack-

ed-Union Man Shot. CLEVELAND, O., August 1:-Two con panies of militia and ninety police were ordered to the Brown works by Mayor McKisson shortly before noon to-day in anticipation of trouble at the works when the men should come out at noon. Firteen minutes after the first order was issued another call for police was made. and every available policeman in the city

At 12 o'clock a crowd of twenty-five non union men left the works without police They were intercepted by three or four men, who followed them at a distance. The locked-out men threw rocks at the men they were following. This so excited the latter that just before reaching Clifton street several of them pulled revolvers and commenced shooting.

John Prinz, of 1186 St. Clair street, a oulder, employed at City Foundry, No. 2, while walking up the Cleveland and tracks, was shot three times. One bullet passed under his heart and through an arm below the elcame unconscious, and it is feared that he may die at any moment. Prinz is 38 years old, married, and has two children.

MEN CHARGE DECEPTION.

Last night all the union men who had gone back under the agreement entered into Monday were called out. The men claim they were decelved by the way in which the agreement was construed to company, was a complete surrender on the part of the men. Acting on this, few union men have been engaged, and the condition of the men. Acting on this, few union men have been engaged, and the condition of the the shops are being filled with non-union men. Master Mechanic O'Connel has been telegraphed to return from Chicago and explain his part in the throw down of

When the works shut down last night there was a threatening crowd outside, and police were hurried to the scene. Aside from some jostling of non-union men, however, there was no disturbance. but the old trouble was expected to recur.

## WHITE SQUADRON AT SEA. It Will Rendezvous at Hampton

early this morning from Tompkinsonville, 1:083-4. S. I., that the New York, Indiana, Amphititie, Cincinnati, Newark, and Fern were cond, and Johnny McHale third. Time, ground, which is somewhere on a line at sea between Block Island and the Capes webster, is to 5) won, with Neutral second, and George F. Smith third. Time, of the Chesapeake. The other available cound, and George F. Smith third. Time, of the Chesapeake. The other available counds are considered as a considered condition of the Chesapeake. under way for the northern cruising- 1:28. sea between Block Island and the Capes of the Chesapeake. The other available ships of the squadron—the Maine, Colum-bia, Raleigh, and Katahdin—are ordered to join him as soon as possible. On the high seas the Admiral will transfer his high seas the Admiral will transfer his flag to the Fern, and put the New York in line with the other ships for the drills. The squadron is under orders to rendeztous at Hampton Roads between August 5th and 10th, by which time they will require coal and stores, and mail may be addressed them at that point.

The cruiser San Francisco, which has Mace, Chandler and a combination of

left that port yesterday for Smyrna for stores, and the department cabled the Marblehead, now at Catania, Italy, to go

## UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. Prof. E. A. Alderman, of Wilming-

ton, Elected President. RALEIGH, N. C., August 1.-Edwin A. Alderman, Professor of Pedagogics in the State University, was elected president of the University of North Carolina to-day, to succeed George T. Winston, recently elected to the presidency of the University of Texas.

Seven leading educators occupying pro-fessorships in institutions of learning in distant States were highly recommended, but Professor Alderman's election was

# AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

WEATHER FINE, ATTENDANCE LARGE, SPORT OF HIGH ORDER.

## PLAYER DEEPLY IN DEBT.

WIII He Settle? Is the Question of the Hour-Winged Foot and Seagull Handicap-Other Events of

BRIGHTON BEACH RACE-TRACK, August 1 .- Weather fine Attendance large. The sport was of high order, and The principal events on the programme were the Winged Foot Handicap, of the value of \$1,500, for 2-year-olds, and the Seagull Handicap, of the same value, for 2-year-olds. There were three starters in the first-named event, and it was captured by Voter, whose odds were 18 and the second choice, Lithos, third. The players in the ring were all talking this afternoon of a well-known player of races, not a professional, whose indebtedness in the ring is said to amount not be mentioned, inasmuch as it is not known positively that he will not settle. His name, it is said, would cause a sensation.

miles-The Dragon (108, Sloane, 5 to 2) won, with Sir Francis second, and Rewon, with Sir Francis second, and Re-fugee third. Time, 148 1-2.

Second race-six furlongs—Turlesque (119, Taral, 2 to 5) won, with the Manx-man second, and Kaiser Ludwig third. Time, 118.

Third race-the Winged Foot Handicap, \$1,500, for 2-year-olds, five furlongs— Voter (165, A. Clayton, 18 to 5) won, with Cleophas second, and Lithos third. Time, 1:01 3-4.

Fourth race-Seagull Handleap, \$1.500 Fourth race—Seagull Handicap, \$1,500, for 3-year-olds, one mile—Peep o' Day (116, Taral, 7 to 5) won, with Bonaparte second and Formal third. Time, 1:42 1:4. Fifth frace—six furlongs—Zanone (98, Gardiner, 7 to 5) won, with Cromwell second, and Ameer third. Time, 1:15 1:4. Sixth race—two and one-quarter miles—Red Pat (1:45, Duniap, 8 to 5) won, with St. Anthony second, and Spot third. Time, 5:27.

CLOSE AT LATONIA.

LATONIA, KY., August 1.—The closing day of the Latonia summer meeting, as far as weather is concerned, was the poorest known in years. Rain, accompanied by hail, poured down all the afternoon, and the track was a sea of mul. There were many scratches, the fourth race being declared off on this account two started in the stake event,

which Captive won in a gallop.
First race-seven furlongs-Miss Emma
(93, C. Reiff, 8 to 5) won, with Susie B
second, and Parson third. Time, 1:221-2. Second race-five and a half furlongs-Irby B. (118, Scherer, 5 to 1) won, with Performance second, and Lady Keith third, Time, 1:12 1-2. Third race—one and one-eighth miles— Letcher (55, Fowler, 8 to 1) won, with Sir Dilke second, and Aimee third. Time,

Fourth race-Declared off. Fifth race-Cincinnati Hotel Handicap, one and one-quarter miles-Captive (95 Martin, 3 to 5) won, with Ben Holliday second. Time, 2:19. Only two started. Sixth race-six furlongs-Strathreel (197

WISCONSIN FAIR GROUNDS.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., August 1.—All the favorites won to-day, and outsiders had no chance of winning.

First race—six furlongs—Cossack 002, Caywood, 4 to 5 won, with Tommie Butter second, and Joe Mancini third. Time, nd race six furiongs Orion (114,

Second race—six furiongs—Orion (114, McHugh, 7 to 19) won, with Yours Truly second, and Fervor third. Time, 1:151-2. Third race—mile and one-eighth—Doctor C. (82, Clay, 6 to 5) won, with Constant second, and Paros third. Time, 1:55.

Fifth race-one mile-Hazelhatch (114,

Taylor, even) won, with Belvour second, and Bill Ellison third. Time, 1:43 1-4. Sixth race-six furlongs-Bryan (91, Burns, 3 to 5) won, with Laura second, and Guard third. Time, 1:15.

MOUND-CITY COURSE. ST. LOUIS, MO., August 1.—The third and sixth races were the only ones taken by favorites to-day. The other events went to a second-choice and outsiders.

Track fast. Attendance, 2,500. First race-mile-Foreseen (86, Slaughter, 7 to 2) wen, with Charles McDonald second, and Fasig third. Time, 1:44.
Second race—six furiongs—Fred. Foster (105, E. Cochran, 10 to 1) won, with Albert S. second, and Piccarroon third.
Time, 1:97.

Roads Next Week.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—Admiral
Bunce telegraphed the Navy Department
Time, 1:97.
Third race—five and a half furlongs—
Buckvidere (108, Garner, 6 to 5) won, with
Typhoon second, and Juanita third, Time, Fourth race-seven furlongs Sligo (116,

Slaughter, even) won, with St. Paneras second, and Hot Stuff third. Time, 1:421-2.

been lying at Mersina since August 5th, circumstances, usually called base-ball luck, was the cause of Norfolk's defeat by Portsmouth to-day. Norfolk's Waterloo occurred in the fifth inning. At that to Smyrna at once to receive her stores, loo occurred in the fifth inning. At that which had also been sent there. The time the score was a tie. Then it Yorktown left Nagasaki to-day for Yowas that Leach lost control of the ball. was that Leach lost control of the ball. He gave three men bases, allowed three hits, and when the side was retired the visitors had a lead of four runs. But for Claude McFarland's quick work, there is no telling when the arony would have ended. After a long run he caught Pete Hall's fly and cut Werrick off at the plate, settling the side by a double play. In the seventh inning Mr. Chandler went up in the air for a little while, and before he came down singles by Chaude McFarland, Armstrong, and A. McFarland netted two runs. Between the sixth and ninth innings Portsmouth had scored two more runs, and, when Norfolk came to the bat in the ninth inning the score was 2 to 6 in favor of the visitors.

STILL HOPED.

but Professor Alderman's election was unanimous.

The meeting of the trustees was attended by many of the most prominent citizens in the State, including Governor Carr and Senator Butler.

Professor Alderman is 3) years of age. He graduated at the University in 1882, and has been largely identified with graded schools in North Carolina.

A Disappointment.

BALTIMORE, MD., August 1.—(Special.) General Bradley T. Johnson was unable to be present at the dinner arranged by the Colonels' Club of this city in honor of his return from Cuba, owing to a severe attack of cholera morbus. He is now at the tesidence of ex-Attorney-General John P. Poe, and rapidly improving under medical treatment. The Colonels were much disappointed at the absence of their guest, but put in a good night of it telling war stories.

STILL HOPED.

The earnest rooter, even at this stage of the game, had not lost hope. He believed in the rallying ability of Norfolk, and looked for victory. After Armstrong flied out, Davis singled; A. McFarland soon after followed with another single; Lamout drew a base on bails, and the bases were full, with but one man out. Rampe, the next batter, went out to Harrageney hitters in the league, then known to make doubles, triples, and even home runs on just such occasions, and the excitement was intense. But to far off first base, and Rollins threw to Ryan to head him off. He ther, forced disappointed at the absence of their guest, but put in a good night of it telling war stories.

# to much, for McFar and was caught, and the side thereby retired. Score:

the members were highly gratified to hear the report of the work of the sub-commit tee, composed of ex-Congressman W. D. Bynum, of Indiana, and Henry S. Robbins, of Illinois, which has been in communication with the States in sympathy with the movement. In addition to the foregoing members, there were present General Edward S. Bragg, of Wisconsin; colonel J. O. Broadhead, of Missouri, and W. B. Haldeman, of Kentucky, the full

NATIONAL LEAGUE BALL. Champions Outclass Senators Win as They Please.

play-C. McFarland and Fields. Sa-hit-Hargrove, Time of game-2 and 19 minutes. Umpire-Mr. Mace.

BALTIMORE, August 1.-The Cham plons outclassed the Washingtonians today, and won as they pleased. Hoffer was unsteady at times, but at critical points had excellent control of the ball, and was given brilliant support. The visitors opened the eighth inning 

ERRORLESS PLAYING. ERRORLESS PLATING.
BROOKLYN, N. Y., August 1.—The New York-Brooklyn game at Eastern Park to-day was one of the cleanest of the series. Not an error was made by either side, and only one base on balls was scored against the pitchers. Payne was hit harder than Dad Clarke, but he was almost invincible with men on bases. Joyce played his first game in a New York uniform, and received an ovation York uniform, and received an ovatlor from the crowd. Beckley and Connaugh ton carried off the honors for the New Yorks, while Corcoran and Lachance were the Brocklyn's heroes. The game while execiting, was free from wrangling and was most enjoyable. The weather was perfect. Attendance, 6,000. Score:

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New York .......000010000—1 11 0
Batteries: Payne and Durcill; Clarke
and Warner.

INFIELDING BRILLIANT. BOSTON, August 1.—Both Nichols and Orth were very effective to-day. But for Cooley's home-run over the centre-field fence in the first inning Philadelphia would have been shut out. Philadelphia failed to make two hits in any one inning Hamilton made two great running catches—the finest plays of the game All of the infielders distinguished them selves by brilliant plays. Atten 3,560. Score: R. 

SENSATIONAL

CHICAGO, August L.—Frazer's wildness and a little timely batting was the cause of Louisville's defeat to-day. Both sides fielded brilliantly, and a number of sen estional plays were made. The base-run ning of the Colts' was one of the fea tures. Lange collided with Dexter in the first inning, and the latter's ankle was badly hurt. McGunnigle was ordered off the field for saucy talk to Umpire Emslie. Attendance, 3,000. Score. R. H. E. Chicago ........... 2 0 0 3 0 3 0 -8 7 1 ..9000000201-3 12 1

Batteries: Griffit Frazer and Dexter.

HONORS EVEN. ST. LOUIS, August 1.-The Clevelands

POSTPONEMENT CINCINNATI. August 1.—The Cincinnati-Pittsburg game was postponed on account of rain.
THE RECORD.



SCHEDULE FOR TO-DAY. Louisville at Chicago, St. Louis at Cincinnati. SCHEDULE FOR TO-MORROW.

New York at Brooklyn, Philadelphia at Boston, Philadelphia at Boston,
Baltimore at Washington,
Pittsburg at Louisville,
Cleveland at Chicago,
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE. 

nd Grim. At Mobile: 

Double Lynching in Alabama

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MONTGOMERY, ALA., August 1.—Two
weeks ago an attempt was made to assassinate C. D. Hunter, a prominent
citizen of Dalias county, while sitting on
his front porch, surrounded by his family.
Two loads of shot were fired at him.
Fortunately, he was not fatally wounded.
Isidore Mobley, a negro, was arrested
on Wednesday, charged with the crime,
and confessed, implicating Billy Hunter,
another negro. The negroes were committed to jail by the Magistrate.

As a constable was on his way to the
county jail at Selma with the prisoners
he was overpowered by a mob of masked
men, who took possession of the prisoners
and carried them to a bridge, hanging
both. After the hanging a volley was
fired into their bodies and the mob disappeared.

It was found that the sound-money mer of nineteen States had already organized and named their committeemen, instructing them to attend the Indianapolis meeting. Those which have reported by name are: Alabama, J. M. Faulkner; California are: Alabama, J. M. Faulkner; California, E. B. Pond; Illinois, J. M. Palmer; Indiana, J. R. Wilson; Kansas, Eugene Hagen; Kentucky, R. T. Tyler; Massachusetts, ex-Governor Matthews; Minnesota, F. W. M. Kutcheon; Mississippi, E. S. Wilson; Missouri, L. C. Krauthoff; Nebraska, E. Martin; New Hampshire, Gordon Woodburn; New York, Charles Tracey; Pennsylvania, Joe C. Bullitt; South Carolina, T. F. Toliy; West Virginia, H. S. Simms; Wisconsin, Ellis B. Usher; Oregon, C. E. R. Wood.

Maryland reported an organization perfected, with H. A. Parr president, and a committeeman chosen, but gave no name. Ohio and Texas reported that more conferences had been called for to-day to name representatives. Connecticut, Florida, Iowa, Maine, Michigan, Rhode Island, Vermont, Tennessee, Virginia, and Wash-

Vermont, Tennessee, Virginia, and Washington were heard from to the effect that meetings had been called for early next week to appoint representatives, which adds ten practically to the list.

week to appoint representatives, which adds ten practically to the list. After the committee meeting a telegram was received from Charles G. Baker, Seattle, stating that a conference there to-day had chosen Judge Thomas Burke to represent Washington. The committee was advised that in the following States action was being taken, which would result in naming committeemen: Colorado, New Jersey, Mentana, South Dakota, and North Dakota. The committee feels sure of the participation of at least thirty-one States in the convention call, with the other five at Indianapolis. New Mexico and Oklahoma are expected to be represented at Indianapolis, but the committee does not feel authorized to accept committeemen from the Territories. An invitation to be present, however, was extended W. feel authorized to accept committeemen from the Territories. An invitation to be present, however, was extended W. B. Childers, withdrew from New Mexico. In addition to those already named, prominent Democrats have declared their intention of being present at the Indianapolis meeting, and the committee is assured of large outside aid. It was decided to hold the conference in the clubroom of the Denison Hotel.

While the committee was in session numerous dispatches were received favorable to the movement. Among them was

able to the movement. Among them was one from ex-Governor Stone, and Judge Calhoun, of Jackson, Miss.

COMMITTEE FROM NEW YORK. NEW YORK, August 1.—The leading nembers of the New York State De-nocracy to-day received the following

"Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that, pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the New York State Democracy on the 15th day of July last, the following gentlemen have been duly appointed by Hon. Francis duly appointed by Hon. Francis Scott, vice-chairman, and the chairman of the meeting, a committee for the purpose of co-operating in the nomination of representative Democrats for President and Vice-President: John DeWitt Warner, William L. Turner, Robert J. Monroe, John Fennell, Thomas F. Keating, George Walton Green, and Edward McCue.

pectfully yours,

### THE ALABAMA CAMPAIGN CLOSED. Importance of the Election to Be Held To-Morrow.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., August 1.—The most important political campaign in the history of this State since Reconstruction days, closed to-night, and the election Monday, this being the first State election since the great national political conventions met, has an importane bearing on the national election in November.

Joseph F. Johnston, the candidate for Governor of the Democrats, on a freesilver platform, is opposed by A. T. Goodwyn, the fusion candidate of the Republicans and Populists. Rival demonstrations and speakings occurred here tonight. "Cyclone" Davis, of Texas, and local orators spoke to a big crowd, mostly pegroes, in front of the custom house, while Congressman Underwood, John W. Tomlinson, of the "State-Herald," and others spoke to an immense crowd of whites in front of the court-house. excitement is at a high pitch to-night.

### A RUDE AWAKENING. Passengers on a Cunarder Alarmed by a Big Wave.

NEW YORK, August 1.-The passengers on the Cunard-Line steamship Etruria, which vessel arrived here to-day, had a rude awakening about 2 o'clock on last Tuesday morning, and were thrown

last Tuesday morning, and were thrown into a state bordering on panic. It was the work of a suge wave, which had mounted the Etruria's port-bow during a galo and smashed her forward fronworks, deluging the forehold, unshipping the vessel's bell, wrecking the screenstanchions, rushing through the port companionways, and invading the rooms of the passengers.

Those who were on deck at the time say that when the wave struck the vessel the latter was shaken from stem to stern. Her beadway was perceptibly retarded. Many of the passengers were thrown from their berths by the impact.

After the wave had boarded the vessel she was eased off, and laid so for two hours and a half. The storm by that time had subsided, and temporary repairs had been effected.

No one on board was injured.

POTOMAC-RIVER REGATTA.

It Is Successfully "Pulled"-Wash-Ington; Baltimore; Philadelphia,

washington, August 1.—The annual Potomao-river regatta of 1856 was successfully pulled off to-day. All the races, with the exception of the eighth, which was one mile straight away, were one mile and a half, with one turn.

The race for junior eights between the Potomac Boat Club and the Calumbia Athletic Club, both of Washington, was

THE GOLD DEMOCRATS

THIRTY-SIX STATES WILL BE REPRESENTED AT INDIANAPOLIS.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING.

Members Highly Gratified at the Reports Received — Sound-Money Organizations in 19 States—Many Dispatches Favorable to Movement.

CHICAGO, August L—According to the reports received by the Provisional National Executive Committee of the antifree-silver Democrats, thirty-six States will be represented at the Indianapolis meeting of national committeemen, who are instructed to sign and issue a call for a national nominating convention.

The Executive Committee met at its Palmer-House headquarters to-day, and the members were highly gratified to hear the report of the work of the sub-committee report of the work of the sub-committee report of the work of the sub-committee of the sub-committee met at its Palmer-House headquarters to-day, and the members were highly gratified to hear the report of the work of the sub-committee of the sub-committee met at its Palmer-House headquarters to-day, and the members were highly gratified to hear the report of the work of the sub-committee of the sub-committee met at the report of the work of the sub-committee of the sub-commit

GOLD DEMOCRATS OF ILLINOIS. Hinrichson May Prevent Their Using

"Democratic" on Ballots.

CHICAGO, August 1.—The sound-money Democracy of Illinois will hold a State convention in Clarago August 5th, to nominate a full State ticket, and elect delegates to the anti-free silver national convention. There is considerable talk in Democratic circles to the effect that Chairman Hinrichsen, of the Democratic State Committee, will exercise his authority as Secretary of State to prevent the gold Democrats from using the name "Democratic" on the ballots, with any attachment. "Demogratic" on Ballots.

Lynching in Georgia.

SAVANNAH, GA., August 1.—A Millen, Ga., special to the Morning News says: About two weeks ago Sam. McCullers, a desperate character, called at the gate of C. Leister. Leister answered the call, and was shot at several times by McCullers. McCullers made good his escape. A reward of \$100 was offered for him. He was caucht at Colling's Station Thursday and ward of \$100 was offered for him. He was caught at Collins's Station Thursday and carried to J. B. Jones's house on Friday to be committed to jail. En route to Millen Friday night he was taken from the officers and shot by unknown parties. His body was found in a swamp with eleven bullet-holes in it. The Coroner's verdict was "death at the hands of un-known parties."

WOOSTER, O., August 1.—A letter from the Hon, A. S. McClure, Republican nom-inee for Congress in the Seventeenth District, to his constituents, says that he is is favor of the free colnage of sil-ver, and does not propose to obtain a single vote by evasion or dupility on the money question.

WILKESBARRE, PA., August 1.—Be-ginning Monday next, all the collieries operated by the Lehigh Valley Coal Company will work three quarters' time du ring the month of August.

Li Hung Chang in Danger. A correspondent of the London News writes to that paper: "I see that the government has decided to take a house for Li Hung Chang during his stay in this country, and that it is now being 'decorated in yellow' for his reception. The decision, after some wavering, to offer official hospitulity to the Chinese statesman is a good one; but the choice of yellow for the decoration of his quarters is a mistake.

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fluence. "The matter appears of small importance to us, but not so to the Chinese, and it would be difficult for the Emperor to pass over what would undoubtedly be represented as an invasion of the imperial dignity. If it is wished to concillate Chinese taste, red should be the prevaling color, as it is always used on restal occasions."

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some length, pointing out that the blunder is one well worthy of the present Minis-try, and declaring that, unless rectified, it may cost the Viceroy his head. Career of an Escaped Prisoner.

(Scottish American.)

Some thirty years ago a prisoner named Daniel Clark made his escape from Naira Jail. He had dug below the floor of his ceil and made a hole through the foundation. His escape caused a great sensation at the time. Lvery effort was made for his recapture. It was believed that he had been in hiding for some days about Naira. He managed, however, to get clear away, and, until the other day, nothing definite was ever heard of him. It appears from a letter received last month that he got out of Scotland without detection, and escaped to America. He made his way to South Carolina, and when the war broke out he enlisted as a soldier under an assumed name, and fought in the Confederate army. He appears to have settled down into a respectable way of living, got married, and brought up a family. He died two years ago. Daniel Clark, though a notorious law-breaker, had many attractive qualities, and it is pleasing to think that in the New World he turned over a new leaf. (Scottish American.) .

Flora Macdonald's Feet.

The Town Council of Inverness and the Clan Macdonald Society of Glasgow are now satisfied. Their labors on behalf of propriety have not been in vain. First of all, the Town Council has had the gratification of learning from the trustees of the donor of the Flora Macdonald statute that it will be "entirely in accord with the trustees" views" if the "defect" with which fauit has been found-namely, representing Flora in a shoeless condition, "is remedied." Then a letter has also been received from Mr. Davidson, the sculptor, in which he acknowledges that when he modelled the sketch he felt in doubt whether to cover her feet or not. He is, however, anxious to follow out all details of the costume, and will, he says, most gladly receive any information that can be given by the Clan Macdonald Society or anybody else. Flora Macdonald's Feet.

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If it be true of fine wire, as stated in Iron and often set forth in print, then gold is by no means the highest metallic standard of industrial value. At a meeting of the South Staffordshire Institute of Iron- and Steel-Works Managers. Thomas Morris pointed out that the Warrington wire manufacturer who presented him with various specimens of workmanahip in that line get \$4.32 per pound, or \$2.60 per ton, for the article of drawnwire exhibited, and so largely used in the construction of planos and other musical and mechanical instruments. For pinion wire he got \$2.00 per pound, or \$5.300 per ton. It took 754 hair-springs to weigh an ounce of \$27.1-2 grains; it took \$7.600,000 of them to weigh a ton, and taking one to be worth a sent and a half, the value of a ton of these apparently "cheap little things" runs up to over \$600,000. The barbed instruments used by dentists for extracting nerves from the teeth were even more expensive, representing a rate of \$2.150,000 per ton. A mile length of No. Is size wire weighed only Il pounds, and many of the ingois were tweive to fourteen hundredweight each, and, after allowing for all the waste, only fifty miles of wire could be gotten from one ingot.

The discovery of an agents which allows soda soaps, in spite of their sparing solitibility, to be used in place of potash soap for washing raw wool is announced by Rozehig in the Farber Zeitung. He prepares this article from the bi-products obtained in the manufacture of carbolic acid, and whereas twenty parts of a soda soap requires about a thousand part of water for proper solution, the same quantity of soap may be dissolved in one hundred parts of cold water if five parts of the new solvent be added, and the soal does not separate out from the solution. the new solvent be added, and the solution addition of the customary amount soda. After washing with soda soap, a the new article, the wool has no em. The article is question is supposed to what is known as cresyllo acid in caus

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A GREAT MANY CALLERS ON MARK

Ohio Republican Campaign to 1 Opened at Columbus the 18th Reed, Fornker, and Sherman to Be the Speakers-Harrison.

between Chairman Mark A. Hanna, of the National Republican Committee, and Mr. Thomas C. Piatt, which has been expected for some days, took place this efternoon. Apparently the conference was pre-arranged, although the announcement wa made at national headquarters this morn-ing that no formal invitation had been

sent to Mr. Platt and his frienda. Mr. Hanna was at his deak at head quarters nearly all day. He went to the Waldorf for lunch at 2 P. M., and caturned at 2:50. At 2:55 Mr. Platt arrived. He was accompanied by Charles W. Hackett, chairman of the State Committee, and Edward Lauterbach, chairman of the County Committee, The three gentlemen were met by Colonel Swords, the sergeant at-arms, and escorted at once to Mr. Han-ma's room. Vice-Presidential Candidate teeman Scott were present at the confer-ence, which lasted one hour and a half. teeman Scott were present at the conference, which lasted one hour and a half. When the meeting was over Messra, Platt, Hackett, and Lauterbach said, as they made their way to the elevator, that the talk had been most pleasant, and that absolute harmony had prevailed. Mr. Platt said that active campaign work would begin in this State at an early day, and by his smiles it was plain that the regular organization will have charge. Mr. Hanna was asked if ex-President Harrison had agreed to speak at the first meeting in this city. He replied: "Mr. Harnson has been invited by the local organization, but has deferred his answer. We all hope that he will speak."

Mr. Hanna saw a great many callers to-day. National-Committeeman C. L. Kurts, of Ohio, was among the number. Mr. Kurts said that the campaign in McKinley's State would be opened August 15th in a mammoth meeting at Columbus. The speakers will be the Hon. Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, and Governor Foraker and Senator John Sherman, of Ohio.

Roswell G. Horr, who has been booked to talk sound money in Nebraska, was another caller. He said that he would speak at Lincoln, August 5th, and would deliver five speeches in Mr. Bryan's State. Mr. Hanna left town this afternoon, to spend Sunday with his sister, Mrs. H. W. Jones, of Englewood, N. J.

TAPPAHANNOCK. The Normal Closes-Industrial En-

terprises-Political. TAPPAHANNOCK, VA., August 1.-Special.)-The session of the State normal in Tappahannock closed Friday. The spelling contest Friday evening largely attended, and was won by Miss Taylor, of Westmoreland county, Lizzie Rouzie, of Essex, being a close

Second.
Some of the instructors have gone on a fishing excursion, and expect to remain in Tappahannock for some time longer.
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Rev. Edward Bagby and family will return to Washington next week.

Mr. George Croxton has nearly completed a new dam at his mill, on Haskins creek, two miles from town, and expects to begin grinding very soon. The dam is an expensive improvement, and the need of the mill has been sorely felt in Tappahannock and vicinity for a long time. The bending-works of H. E. Shimp & Co, are in full operation, and turning our as fine rims as are to be found in the country.

THE PEACHES. Several wagon-loads of prime peaches have been hauled to the wharf here this week, and then hauled back, on receipt of news that the shipments were not selling for enough to pay the freight.

Mr. B. B. Brockenbrough is making
brandy of his crop, as far as he is able to
handle it with the limited capacity of his

A meeting of Democrats in the court A meeting of Democrats in the court-house yesterday evening organized a club under the name of the Bryan-Sewail-Jones Club, of Tappahannock. Hon. Thomas E. Blakey, was elected president, and Mr. Harrison Southworth secretary. The club piedged itself to bring every voter possible into line.

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The following was offered, and unanimously adopted: Resolved, That this club desires to emphatically express its sentiments that none but Democrats in hearty accord with the will of the party, as settled by the arbitrament of the national convention, be put on guard. And that it, therefore, becomes the duty of the Democratic National Committee to at once declare vacant the place on that committee occupied by any member thereof who does not earnestly, honestly, and diligently labor to secure the election of the nominees of the Chicago convention, and to exclude such member from consultation or participation in any of the official soits of said committee; and in case of any such vacancy occurring it is the duty of the National Committee to fill the vacancy either directly, or through the integvention of the State committee, if such course will secure as a national committeeman a Democrat who is in accord with the majority of the party.

THE PRESIDENT FISHING.

He Is Having Fine Weather for the

Sport. MASHPEE, MASS., August 1 .- The President and his party are having fine weather for their two days' fishing here. The place is rather isolated, being neary eight miles from the nearest railroad and telegraph station, and the party have the only hostelry in the town all to

There were many of the villagers about inst evening when it became known that the President was in town, anxious to catch a glimpse of him.

Richard Watson Gilder joined the party at Mashpee.

PAIN

WASHINGTON, August L.—Forecast
for Virginia: Local rains, followed
by clearing weather: no change in
temperature: southerly winds,

shifting to westerly. North Carolina: Partly cloudy we North Caronna: Farty covers with local thunder-storms; casterly to southerly winds; warmer in the interior.

The cloudiness has increased on the Atlantic coast, and the weather is generally clear in the Missiosippi Valley and west-ward to the Rocky Mountains.

THE WEATHER IN BICHMORD TESTERDAY was clear and cooler. The skips at midnight were overcost.

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